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Re: USA v. Hsi Feng Li
07 cr 1143 (DC)

Dear Judge Chin:

This letter is to request an extension of three weeks, from August 1, 2008, until August 21, 2008, in which to file motions in the above referenced case.

I was substituted as counsel for Mr. Li in late April 2008 and am still in the process of reviewing the voluminous discovery to determine whether any issues exist as to Mr. Li, which would form the basis for any motions. I am also attempting to resolve certain matters with the government.

AUSA Nicholas Goldin has consented to the extension. No prior extension requests have been made by the undersigned.

Thank you for the Court's attention herein.

*Approved.
so ORDERED.*

cc: Nicholas Goldin, AUSA
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All Defense Counsel

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Respectfully,
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